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In re Application of:

Todd R. COLLART

Application No.: 09/912,079

Filed: July 24, 2001

For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE  
OF MANUFACTURE FOR IDENTIFYING  
AND TRACKING USAGE OF A LAZER-  
CENTRIC MEDIUM

Examiner: James S. McClellan

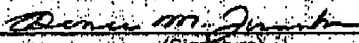
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